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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

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Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d), no copy of any patent, publication, pending U.S. application or other information listed in this information disclosure statement is required to be provided, as the information was previously submitted to, or cited by, the Office in earlier Application No. 09/420,669, filed October 19, 1999, with the exception of U.S. Patent Application Numbers 6,209,018, issued March 27, 2001 and 6,333,931, issued December 25, 2001, which are included herewith.

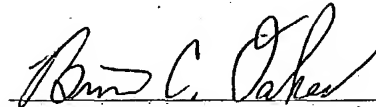
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